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## United Church

Sunday, July 27.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class at 11 a.m. Public worship, 7.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

Tom Rowles was determined that Peace should be celebrated on his farm if not in town. Those in attendance at Tom's peace picnic, on Saturday, had an enjoyable time.

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## BIRTHS

—To Mr. and Mrs. N. B. McAulay, Sunday, July 13, a daughter.

—To Mr. and Mrs. D. Mack, Tuesday, July 15, a son.

—To Mr. and Mrs. F. Edgerly, Thursday, July 17, a son.

—To Mr. and Mrs. Allan Scobie, of Langholm, Saturday, July 19, a son.

## ALBERTA'S ATTITUDE

Edmonton July 17.—The Alberta government will finance the purchase of fall rye seed for farmers in the drought districts and will in this way give relief under the terms and provisions of the Seed Grain Act. This is the first definite action to be taken as a result of the cabinet conference on Wednesday and will, it is believed contribute materially to a solution of the present difficulty.

Mr. Roanthe, of Roanthe & O'Neil, of Swift Current, was here for the inspection of the heating system in the local school, under the endorsement of the McClary Co. Mr. Roanthe has recommended certain improvements in the system, work on which is to be commenced at once. It is understood the work is to be done under guarantee and will cost in the neighborhood of \$300.

Tanlac sold only at Brown's.

## Fire At Alberta Machine Shop

Local Men Badly Injured By Burning Gasoline

Fire, from an unknown cause commenced in the engine room roof of the Alberta Machine Shop, and resulted in four men being badly burned by gasoline. Injured men are, Frank Barry who is severely burned about the back and arms, Milton Hicks badly burned on arms and face, Sheir Weir arms badly burned, and Jack Williamson, hand burned.

The promptitude of the local brigade with the assistance of G. M. Johnston and his Hudson car in getting the fire engine to the conflagration, saved the fire from causing much material damage to the building—damage being very slight.

There are many stories concerning the fire and what happened. The following is the correct version as given by Mr. W. C. Boyd: Just previous to the fire, Milton Hicks had been emptying a barrel of gasoline but had been called away to attend to a car before completing the job. He had left a small quantity of gasoline standing in the pail he was using. At this period, the fire was noticed, and Sheir Weir seeing the pail, mistook the contents for water. He ascended to the roof with it, and as it was but a small quantity, commenced to ladle it out with his hand on to the fire. At the first handful the flames followed his hand back to the bucket and the whole quantity of gasoline became a flaming mass. Milton Hicks had now arrived on the roof and picking up the pail endeavored to throw it clear of the roof to the ground. The pail, however, caught the edge of the roof and the contents overturned down the side of the building and on to Frank Barry and Jack Williamson, who were ladling water from a barrel.

## Broilers

(Experimental Farm Note)

Under ordinary conditions the most profitable time to market cockerels of the light weight varieties is unquestionably at the broiler age.

All Leghorn and cockerels of similar breeds should be disposed of at this stage, as the quality of the flesh rapidly lowers with age and they are consequently not in demand as roasters.

The most desirable weight for broilers is from a pound and a half to two pounds each and the quicker the chick can be forced to these weights the better the quality of the broiler.

In growing broilers the chicks may be handled in the usual way until they reach the age of about six to eight weeks. The cockerels should then be separated from the general flock, kept in confined quarters and forced with ground grain, mash and milk, just an occasional feed of wheat or cracked corn being supplied to stimulate the appetite.

Milk is essential if the highest quality is to be secured, and when fed sour itself as a stimulant and keeps the appetite keen.

A mixture of sifted ground oats and corn, oats and barley, or buckwheat oats and barley, makes a good ration. This should be mixed to a rather thin batter with sour milk and fed at least three times a day, all the chicks will clean up.

They should have at least two weeks feeding of this kind before being marketed.

The major portion of the gasoline fell over Frank Barry, who is seriously burned, while Jack Williamson escaped with a burned hand.

F. Barry is in the local hospital, and is reported to be progressing favorably. Milton Hicks is being attended to at his home and Sheir Weir at A. York's, they are both doing well.

When ready they should be starved for at least twelve hours, bled and neatly dressed, care being taken to avoid tearing the skin when plucking, as they are very tender and consequently easily torn at this age.

Those who are not experts at dressing or who live at a distance from market, can make arrangements to ship to a dealer who will dress and deliver at so much per pair. This is usually a better plan than shipping dressed in hot weather, as the danger from spoiling under this method is great.

For the week of July 8th broilers were quoted in a wholesale way at 45 to 50 cents per pound in Montreal 40 to 45c at Toronto and Vancouver. Where shipping to clubs and retailers considerably higher prices can be realized.

S. Swan has taken over the dry line formerly operated by D. Maxwell.

Many cars containing ranchers enroute to the north of the province, looking for pasture for their stock, have passed through our town the past few days.

## "Gee, Harry,

where did you get the new car?" "Didn't get no new car. Just took my old one to the Express Automobile Finishers, and they made it like new again."

"Some job, I guess I will go down and see them about mine. Believe me, they sure know how to do the work!"

Take a tip from Harry, and see the Automobile Finishers at your first opportunity.

Remember also, they do Furniture Repairing, Upholstering and Re-Polishing. Bring in that old Chair or Table, etc., we will make it like new again.

All work guaranteed.

**Empress Automobile Finishers**

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## WEDDING BELLS

On Wednesday, July 16, at noon, the marriage of Mr. John Barnes, of Bindloss, to Miss Annie Christina Campbell, of Bindloss, was solemnized by Rev. G. G. Pybus, of Empress. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. Donald Campbell, six miles south of Bindloss, and was witnessed by a small company of friends and relatives among whom were Mr. Barnes' mother and brother from Granum, Alta. After receiving the usual congratulations and partaking of a wedding dinner, the newly wedded couple left on a motor trip to Banff and other points. Heartiest good wishes are extended for their future happiness and success.

Some remnant ends in wall paper, half price at Brown's.

## FOR RENT

## Livery and Feed Barn

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## Grand Theatre

EMPRESS, ALBERTA

A Lasky Production  
**WALLACE**

REID  
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for

Friday and Saturday  
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Admission: Popular price, 25c.

## TWINE has ARRIVED

The car of 550 ft. PLYMOUTH TWINE has arrived. This is all the twine that we will be receiving this season other than local shipments.

Arrange to call for your twine early.

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Mail Orders receive Special attention.

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EXTRA STEEP MEAN DOLLARS SAVED

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## Ulster Leader's Speech Is Severely Criticized

London.—Sir Edward Carson's speech has brought the Ulster leader under the lash of the newspapers of all parties, primarily on account of his references to the United States, which are criticized as tactless and calculated to breed bad blood between the two nations, and, secondly, because he reiterated his old threat to call out the Ulster volunteers to resist any attempt to place the Home Rule Act in operation.

The Attorney-General, Sir Gordon Hewart, announced in the House of Commons that there were no grounds for setting the law in motion against Sir Edward because of his threat to call out the Ulster volunteers against Home Rule.

By a vote of 217 to 73, the House rejected a motion by J. R. Clynes, Labor member, urging the government to prosecute Sir Edward Carson for his speech as incitement to violence and breach of the law.

The debate turned on the legal point, in which, the Attorney-General said, he had the concurrence of the Solicitor-General. But almost all the speakers without distinction of party condemned the Carson speech. Sir Donald Maclean, Liberal, appealed to the government to try to regain the moral authority of parliament by condemning the language the Irish Unionist leader used.

Andrew Bonar Law, the government spokesman, contended that the government was bound to be guided by its legal advisers, and that Carson could be more painful to him. If the government had been advised that the law was broken he would have moved upon the speaker. Carson was a very unfortunate affair, said Mr. Bonar Law.

The Labor organizations are not slow to point out how such incitement to "direct action" could be improved upon in the form of a call for securing political ends. The Liberal pro-Irish papers are really quick to point out that it is not of tactics there is no difference between "King De Valera" and "King Carson."

## Labor Conference Called At Ottawa

Premiers of Provinces, Labor Leaders and Employers to Be Invited

Ottawa.—It was decided at a meeting of the privy council to call a national industrial conference for September 11. To this meeting all provincial premiers or accredited representatives will come to Ottawa, as will representatives of organizations of employers and employees just what legislation would best help bring about an era of co-operation in Canada in Canadian industry. Great efforts will be put forth to secure the hearty cooperation of both sides of all elements of labor and all organizations of employers.

## Set Price Of U. S. Wheat

Wheat and Wheat Flour Imports and Exports Put Under Prescribed Limitations

Washington.—President Wilson has signed an executive order increasing the guaranteed price of the 1919 wheat crop to \$2.30 per bushel at Galveston and New Orleans.

At the same time a presidential proclamation was issued declaring that in order "to protect the United States against undue enhancement of its liability" under the law guaranteeing wheat prices, that on and after July 31 no wheat or wheat products should be imported into or exported from the United States except with prescribed limitations to be prescribed by the wheat administrator.

## Radical Leaders Leave Hungary

Vienna.—There is a crisis in the Hungarian soviet. General Bodny, commander of the army, has been imprisoned. Reports have been circulated that his health required rest in a sanatorium. Strumfeld, second in command, is reported to have fled.

Statements that Bela Kun, the soviet leader, had been invited to a conference by the allies has given rise to reports that he has accepted this overture as a means of escaping from Hungary without the intention of returning. It is reported that he has left Hungary thus far, or even departed from the capital.

## Minimum Price Of 1919 Crop

Winnipeg.—An afternoon paper prints the following from its Ottawa correspondent:

Confirmation was given by Sir Thomas White of the report that a minimum price for wheat will be guaranteed in all probability by the government. What this price is to be Sir Thomas would not say. The intention is to give commercial and financial stability to the marketing of the crop, in view of unsettled world conditions, the unique situation created by the United States fixed price, and the uncertainty as to how the world demand would react to further conditions now obtaining. The fixing of a price gives a guarantee which will facilitate the placing of the crop, it is hoped.

## Hot In India

Troops Campaigning in India Suffer Terribly From Heat and Cholera

Peshawar, India.—The continuous heat is appalling, but everything is being done to mitigate the sufferings of the troops. Ice plants have been set up at Landi Kwatta and Dama and an attempt is being made to supply a pound of ice daily to each British soldier. Sanatoriums have been equipped in the Khyber district for treatment of heat cases. The violent epidemic of cholera, which broke out here last year, nearly three weeks. There were 1,663 cases and 566 deaths, principally among the camp followers. Six British officers and 15 men also died, but the disease is now practically stamped out.

A special train now daily carries troops for short spells to the Murree Hills. The troops are now better housed and fed than in any previous campaign. The firm steadiness of the British troops in facing the heat deserves the utmost admiration.

## Spain Placed On Low Level

Neutrality Belittled Here in Eyes of Other Powers

Madrid.—The neutrality which Spain maintained during the war has belittled her in the eyes of the other powers, declared Senor Pere Caballero, editor of the *El Sol*, in a speech in the senate, during debate on the reply to the message from the crown, delivered at the recent reopening of the Cortes. The government's policy had been set forth entirely too vaguely, he insisted.

The senator demanded that if possible Spain should ally herself with the allied and associated nations, saying that Spain would not remain isolated from the rest of Europe. "If we would raise Spain from the low level upon which her neutrality has placed her," he added, "it is indispensable that her signature be joined to those of Great Britain and the United States on the pact guaranteeing security to France."

## Rioting in Stettin

Copenhagen.—A general strike, accompanied by rioting, has started at Stettin, capital of the province of Pomerania, Prussia, according to advices received from German sources. The strike involves all trades, including harbor traffic, water and electrical power works. The object of the strike is to secure abolition of martial law in Pomerania and other political reforms.

## Steamer From Orient Docks

Victoria, B.C.—With 182 saloon passengers and 159 Chinese in the steerage, and 5,000 tons of freight, the Empress of Japan docked here from the Orient, 11 days from Yokohama. The liner has a valuable cargo of raw silk. Four British officers, Major A. E. Scoy, Captain F. L. Thomas, Captain F. E. Womersley, and Lieut. D. M. Walker, all of whom are serving with the Great Canadian forces in Mesopotamia, were passengers.

## Strike Investigation Held At Winnipeg

Labor Men Want Robson Commission to Probe Alleged Disruption

Winnipeg.—Little progress was made at the opening session of the royal commission to investigate the strike under Commissioner U. A. Robson at the legislative chamber. The session lasted less than one hour, the greater portion of which time was given up to discussing which phase of the strike the commission would probe first, and was then adjourned.

It was practically decided that for the present the commission should occupy itself with inquiries into the effects of the strike, and not the causes, although Judge Robson also pointed out that the calling and conducting of the strike could also be given into consideration. The reasons that made for this course were, as presented by Mr. Murray, representing the trades and labor, that many of the most important individuals who would have to give evidence, at the present time, awaiting preliminary hearings on various charges.

Mr. Murray suggested that the question of alleged disloyalty arising out of the reinstatement of the workers who had been on strike ought to come before the commission, and that to be not the representatives felt that this question ought to be taken up at once.

Judge Robson said that the fact that men were out of work was an effect of the strike. How far the commission would go into individual cases was questionable, and the commission, however, Mr. Murray would be well advised to prepare a list of such cases, and also notify the employers concerned so that they would have the opportunity of representing themselves if they wished. Another matter which the commission would inquire into at the present time, said the commissioner, was the calling and conducting of the strike.

## Repair Of War Damages

France Puts Up Millions to Aid in Work of Reparation in Country

Paris.—Minister of Finance Klotz has introduced in the chamber of deputies a bill approving an agreement with a company called the Credit Foncier, formed in order to facilitate repair of war damages. The company's capital is to be 100,000,000 francs, and it will advance funds to a maximum of ten years. The funds will be secured by the issue by France abroad of shares in the company, which are to be guaranteed by the government's budget.

## Raisuli Again On Warpath

Spanish Position Is Attacked By the British

Madrid.—Raisuli, the Moroccan bandit, according to an official communication, again has attacked the British positions at El Aoua, and was repulsed after a long and bitter fight. The bandit, realizing that the Spanish forces had cut off communication between his camp and Tangier, decided to attack, and the communication said it was carried on furiously. Raisuli suffered heavy losses, leaving many dead or wounded on the field. The communication adds that the Spaniards also lost heavily, but they are pursuing Raisuli, who is trying into the mountainous country.

## U. S. Soldier's Pay Is Small

Washington.—Popular belief in the U. S. that the U. S. soldier is not well paid than that of any other country is erroneous, according to an official statement by the general secretary of the War Department. This shows the three British dominions, Canada, Australia and New Zealand, allow materially higher pay for each grade than does the U. S. For instance, in the Australian army a corporal earns \$72.90 per month, as compared with \$36 in the U. S. army.

## Pantries to Pay Fair Rates

Montreal.—Unequalled Vaucluse will play the entire week of Regina fair. The bill has been specially selected by Mr. Alexander Panter, and will be found an added attraction to out-of-town visitors who like this form of amusement. There will be three shows each day, one in the afternoon and two at night.

## Druggists May Be Liquor Vendors

Winnipeg.—Sixty-one Manitoba druggists have been licensed to sell liquor during the coming fiscal year, against 69 last year, according to J. H. MacLean, administrator of the Temperance Act.

## Co-Operative Plan Suggested

To Aid Stockmen to Get Feed to Cattle, or Cattle to Feed, as Needed

Ottawa.—To relieve the stockmen in the dry areas of Alberta and Saskatchewan whose herds are threatened through scarcity of feed, the federal government has submitted two proposals to the provincial governments interested. It is proposed to cut hay on the Dominion lands in the north, bale it and ship it south to feed the cattle, or to send the cattle from the southern areas to the hay lands of the north, where moisture has been adequate and grass is abundant.

To carry out either of these two proposals the Dominion government has proposed to the provincial authorities that the cost of securing and moving the hay and cattle be borne equally by the Dominion government, provincial governments, railway companies and stock owners.

Another proposal for division of expense is that it be borne equally by the Dominion government, provincial governments and railway companies. This latter proposal will be the one the stockmen may be in a financial position to assume any part of the cost. The Alberta authorities have signified their willingness to co-operate, and it is believed will advise that the whole expense be borne by the Dominion and provincial governments and the railway companies.

## Forest Fires Caused By Heat

Three Men Trapped in Tunnel of Mine in Salmon River Valley

Nelson.—Three men are trapped by forest fires in a tunnel at the Second Relief mine, near Erie, in the Salmon River Valley. The men are known to have provisions enough to last them for four days.

According to a telephone message received here from Erie, the men are believed to be safe for the time being, although there is danger that they may be suffocated should the flames close in on the mouth of the tunnel.

Several forest fires have started in the district during the past few days as a result of the hot wave. Forest rangers say that the fires are due to the spontaneous combustion of gas generated by the heat from the resin in the trees.

Slogan City, about 25 miles from here, is surrounded by fires. Fire hoses have been stretched to cutting sections of the town.

## "Black Watch"—The Best Black Plug Chewing Tobacco on the Market

Manitoba Taking Alberta Cattle

Winnipeg.—As a result of the present crisis in the cattle industry in Alberta, where there has been a total failure of hay and other fodder crops, leaving, according to reports, approximately 150,000 head of cattle without food, the Manitoba Department of Agriculture has decided to purchase between 25,000 and 30,000 head for the farmers of this province. Accepted by Hon. V. Winkler, minister of agriculture.

## No Military Entente With U. S.

London.—A report that Great Britain and the United States has entered into an agreement regarding their respective military establishments was denied in the House of Commons by Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer.

## For Harvest Help

Winnipeg.—There will be a conference of the Manitoba farmers to consider the general question of harvest help for the prairie provinces.

## Britain May Have New Political Party

## U. S. Opinion And Irish Question

London.—The British government does not regard the action of the United States senate with respect to Ireland or the acts in the same connection of other persons or bodies representing the United States people, as in violation of Article 10 of the League of Nations covenant, said Andrew Bonar Law, government leader in the House of Commons.

## Predicts Split In Labor Ranks

Dominion Trades and Labor Council Will Have to Take Some Action

Winnipeg.—In the opinion of many union officials, summary action by the Dominion Trades and Labor congress is expected to follow the adoption by the local Trades and Labor Council of the Calgary convention report, amounting to full support of the future general congress project. The possibility that the local council's charter will be cancelled and formation of a new council comprising unions loyal to the congress authorized, was widely discussed in labor circles.

R. A. Rigg, general organizer for the congress in Western Canada, announced that he had telegraphed the Ottawa headquarters about the action taken by the local council and that he expected to learn what steps would be taken soon.

Mr. Rigg spoke for half an hour against the One Big Union before the vote was taken. "It was all arranged, anyhow," he said, "and there was no chance of winning our point so long as the Trades and Labor Council retains its present make-up."

## Partially Reduce Russian Blockade

Paris.—The council of five held a meeting, its chief topic of discussion being the Russian blockade. There have been proposals that the powers should allow ships to enter Russian ports under special permits. It has been suggested that most of the stock West coast could be blockaded by the Denkinde government, which is friendly to the allies, but the supreme council has not decided to allow to declare such a blockade.

## Price of Wales' Water

London.—Rt. Hon. Walter Long announced in the Commons that the Price of Wales would embark for Canada on H.M.S. Renown, at Portsmouth, August 5. The Prince will visit St. John's, Nfld., thence proceeding in a light cruiser to St. John's, N.B., and Charlottetown, where he will re-embark on the Renown and proceed to Halifax.

## Former Emperor Takes a Rest

Amsterdam.—The former German emperor returned from saving time for the first time in several months. It is understood that he is suffering from a cold, and that he has apparently experienced a recurrence of his heart affection.

## London.—A sensation has been caused in political circles by the news that Colonel Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary of War, who has just returned from a hundred miles to Lloyd George at Crickethill, delivered a speech at a dinner in the west end, among the Unionists and Liberals in order to preserve what had been won in the war.

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## British Officials Honored By U. S.

General Pershing Grants Service Decorations in London

London.—General Pershing, U. S. Army commander-in-chief, has presented Distinguished Service Medals to a number of prominent British officials. The officers who received the medals were Viscount Milner, Secretary for the Colonies; Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for War; Viscount Peell, Baron Wey, Director-General of Aircraft Production; Baron Lovelovitch (Andrew Weir), Minister of Munitions, and Felix Cassell, Judge Advocate-General.

## Prices Drop In Germany

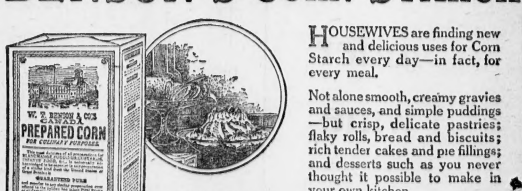
Profiteers, in a Panic, Flood Markets With Stocks of Food

Berlin.—Prices on all foodstuffs have fallen by a considerable amount as a result of the lifting of the blockade. They began to show weakness when it was rumored that the embargo would be lifted, but the real drop came only when illicit dealers with huge concealed stocks brought them to market. The real drop came only when illicit dealers with huge concealed stocks brought them to market. The real drop came only when illicit dealers with huge concealed stocks brought them to market.

## Not alone smooth, creamy gravies and sauces, and simple puddings—but crisp, delicate pastries; flaky rolls, bread and biscuits; rich tender cakes and pie fillings; and desserts such as you never thought it possible to make in your own kitchen.

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**Land Seekers Flock to Canada**

Regina, Sask.—The J. E. Martin

Land company of Minneapolis, which

has large holdings in the Ship Lake

district in Saskatchewan, has disposed

of 40,000 acres of farm lands at an

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grand total of \$1,600,000.

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## New Zealand

### Thanks America

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Auckland, New Zealand.—Apprecia-

tion of American hospitality to New

Zealand troops visiting the United

States, and the camaraderie of the

battlefront, have brought the big re-

public and dominion of New Zealand

nearer than in pre-war days. This

feeling was emphasized by Lieutenant

Auckland, who recently returned to

Auckland from a lecturing tour in

America. An official recognition was

also given by the Wellington City

Council, which sent a vote of apprecia-

tion to officials at Panama and

Colon in connection with the pass-

ing of New Zealand soldiers pass-

ing through the canal. It is interest-

ing in this connection to note that

Australia has cabled its gratitude to

the Panama Canal administration,

through the imperial government.

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## Community Movement

Says Winnipeg Will Have 50 Community

Clubs in a Few

Years

F. C. Middleton, acting secretary

of the Social Service Council, predicts

that in the next few years Winnipeg

will have 50 Community clubs. The

community movement is gripping the

city as well as the country, and the

recent visit of Middleton has shown

the need of a united citizenship.

Canibals and politicians live off

other people.

**SUMMER COMPLAINTS**

**KILL LITTLE ONES**

At the first sign of illness during the

hot weather, give the little ones

Baby's Own Tablets for a few

hours he may be beyond aid. These

Tablets will prevent summer com-

plaints if given occasionally to the

well child, and will promptly relieve

these troubles if they occur. It is in-

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**Germans Will**

**Always Be Huns**

Premier of New Zealand Has No

Faith in Regeneration

Vancouver, B.C.—The Huns were

Huns 2000 years ago, they are Huns

today, and they will be Huns to the

day of judgment, and perhaps after.

At the cost of a small party of ordi-

nary men, the Premier of New Zealand, giving his

opinion of the regeneration of the

German people, in the course of an

address to the members of the Can-

adian Club.

"I have no faith in the regeneration

of the Germans," said Mr. Massey,

who further emphasized his dis-

trust of any lasting improvement in

the defeated enemy by giving it as

his opinion that German chemists were

at work even now, devising new meth-

ods of destruction for use when the

present armistice should be broken.

He said that the most serious mis-

take made with regard to the con-

clusion of peace, in the opinion of the

speaker, was in not dictating a ter-

rorious peace on the soil of Germany.

**Channel Tunnel Project Discussed**

Westminster, England.—A meeting

of members of the House of Com-

mons, held to discuss the report on

the Channel Tunnel, unanimously

agreed that the project should be

left to private enterprise, but the two

nations, and adopted a resolution

calling for the government's support as

the best proof of Great Britain's de-

sire to maintain and improve her

friendship and alliance with France.

A deputation was appointed to ap-

proach the Prime Minister.

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Farmers Did Much to Turn Scale

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THURSDAY, July 24, 1919

St. Chrysostom of the fourth  
century had his ideas on pro-  
hibition which are worth re-  
peating whether you agree  
with them or not. Said he:

"I hear men cry when these  
deplorable excesses happen:  
'Would to God there was no  
wine! What folly, what mad-  
ness! When other men sin,  
you find fault with the gifts of  
God! What insanity is this? Is  
it the wine that causes this  
abuse? No it is not the wine,  
but the intemperance of those  
who take an evil delight in it.  
But rather cry out: 'Would to  
God that there was no drunk-  
ennes, no luxury! But if you  
shout, 'Would there were no  
wine! you should add, would  
there was no iron because of  
the murders; would there was  
no night because of the thieves;  
would there was no light be-  
cause of the informers; would  
there were no women on ac-  
count of the adulteries! In this  
way you might destroy  
everything; this is a devilish  
way of reasoning!'"—Con.

### Local and General

Jas. Hamilton returned Tues-  
day from a trip to Medicine Hat

A. McDerimid, made a visit to  
his farmstead at Cavendish,  
the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lundie, of  
Cavendish, were Empire visitors,  
Monday.

O. Saul, of Cavendish, is prob-  
ably the first farmer in these  
parts to commence wheat cut-  
ting, starting on Thursday last.

Mrs. Perry, who has been the  
guest of her daughter, Mrs.  
J. N. Anderson, motored to  
Alaska, on Sunday, on her way  
to Hanna, Alta., on a visit to  
her daughter and son-in-law,  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brookes-  
Avey.

C. S. Pingle, M. L. A., and Jas.  
Fleming, of Medicine Hat,  
were guests of friends here,  
Thursday and Friday of last  
week.

Capt. and Mrs. Shouldice,  
have as their guests, their daugh-  
ter, Mrs. W. E. Brydus, of  
Lethbridge, and their son,  
D. R. M. Shouldice, who re-  
cently returned on the Ac-  
quatanla, after four years over-  
seas.

Tickets for the Empire  
Chautauqua may be obtained  
from Wm. Anderson at the  
Cavendish general store. Mr.  
Anderson's name was not in-  
cluded in last week's list of tick-  
et sellers.

A. L. Inaley, who arrived  
from Virden, Man., Wednesday,  
reports that rust is doing dam-  
age to the wheat crop there.

Irwin McArthur of Drum-  
heller, is a visitor in town. He  
reports the miners there have  
been on strike for a month,  
which has made business very  
quiet.

The Empire Automobile  
Finishers have the front of  
their workshop tastefully paint-  
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work, on the Mildon-Empire  
line is reported as let to Foley,  
Welch and Stewart, of Van-  
couver. This work is to start  
immediately from the Mildon  
end of the line.

The gun club held a trap  
shoot on the local grounds,  
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twenty-five bird event. Some  
very good scores were made.

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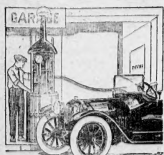
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our players has jumped his con-  
tract. Herbie, oh Herbie, come  
back to us now.

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have reached us. Please be a  
little more definite.

Would Alsask like a game?  
We aim to please.

Pete singled, and Gregg got  
a bunt. From the back seat it  
felt like a three-bagger, with  
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Chautauquus, July 31-Aug. 6.

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Bindloss Celebration, Friday July 25.

William Pullin left this morning for Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Neilson, of Hillcrest, were visitors in town on Wednesday.

Miss V. E. Young, of West Fort, Ont., is the guest of Mrs. Frank W. Rosenblum.

The Mayfield baseball team played the local team here on Wednesday, and suffered defeat by a score of 4-3.

Miss M. E. Peers left on Saturday, on an automobile trip of a few days duration, visiting friends.

Mrs. F. J. Conn, and children, left last week for Jenner, where they are the guests of relatives.

Miss Mary Niven, of Winnipeg, is spending a holiday visit here, of a month's duration, as the guest of Mrs. S. Swan.

Messrs. P. B. Ostrom and S. Setran, left the first of the week for Calgary, for the purpose of purchasing stocker cattle.

The Union Sunday School held their annual picnic by the Saskatchewan river on Wednesday. It is estimated that over a hundred pupils and parents were in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hawkins left this morning for Govan, Sask., where Mr. Hawkins is to take charge of the blacksmithing department of the Martin Machine Shop.

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